

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.  
29096/37999Application No.  
10/020,647-Conf. #7282Filing Date  
December 12, 2001Examiner  
Matthew J. KohnerArt Unit  
3563

Applicant: David Ostergaard

Invention: BAFFLE ASEMBLE FOR A SEALED SHAFT ON A VIBRATORY APPARATUS

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Dated: January 7, 2005

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 10, 2004**

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Sir:

In response to the office action of November 10, 2004, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** appear on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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